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NOTES OF INTEREST OF BUSY KINSELLA

Mrs. J. Neale and her children Ellen and John Jr., were week-end visitors in Edmonton.

Miss Syson, teacher in Kinsella, Miss Nan Kennedy, teacher at Batts school, and Miss Elsie Bridgeman, motored to Edmonton last week-end. We are glad to see Miss Dorothy Fleming in our midst again and we are pleased she is doing so nicely since her operation.

Mrs. M. Nease who was reported sick last week is also enough improved to be home again.

Miss Margaret Scott and her niece Miss Jean Elliott visited the latter's mother in Edmonton last week.

Mrs. Plummer also took advantage of the week-end special rate to visit the city.

The bazaar held in the Kinsella church was again a success, the ladies taking in around \$69.00. Miss Patricia Stronach was fortunate in winning the beautiful pillow.

Mrs. D. Corbett went to Edmonton last Friday for a short visit.

Mr. J. L. Smith is with Mr. J. A. Craig helping with the annual balance sheet.

JUNIOR HOCKEY TEAM LOSE GAME TO IRMA

(From the Viking News)

The junior hockey team travelled to Irma last Saturday afternoon where they met the old and coming puck chasers of our sister town. The Irma team proved a little too good for our boys in the opening tilt, shutting out Viking by the score of 2 to 0. They expect to meet Irma again soon and are putting in some serious practice so that they can reverse the score.

Viking line-up: Goal, Streit; defense, B. Sullivan, C. Goodwin; Forwards, B. Ash, Kelly, M. Runyon, S. Purvis, D. Sheets, McEachern, Allan Jones.

The local juniors expect to blossom forth in new uniforms this week, donated by the Viking and Boston cafes.

GAS LINE LEAGUE EXECUTIVES MEET

The annual meeting of the Gas Line Hockey League was held in the office of Mr. A. T. Stewart, of Holden, on Tuesday evening, December 3, 1935, at 8.35 p.m.

The following represented the various towns, the first named being the official league representative in each case:

Wainwright — Ken S. Tory, Mr. Stewart, S. Worton; Tofield — W. Worton, L. Glover, G. Allan; Viking — Jack McEachern, Gordon Ash; Irma — R. L. Penfield, R. Martin; Holden — A. Black.

After much discussion had taken place it was decided to admit a Wainwright team into the league — Holden Herald.

L. O. L. Entertains Irma Ladies' Lodge

In spite of the severe cold a very enjoyable time was had on Monday evening, when the Irma L.O.L. entertained members and friends of the L.O.B.A. to a social evening. The first part of the evening was taken up with court whist, the lucky ones at cards being Mrs. E. Carter, ladies first; Mrs. J. Jackson, consolation; Mr. Art Larson, gent's first; and Mr. R. Herbert, consolation.

A delightful lunch was served at midnight, following which a jolly time was spent in old time and modern dancing, the music kindly supplied by friends.

During the evening a most noteworthy presentation was made in the form of an honorary life membership to Mr. M. K. Macleod in honor of 45 years work in the L.O.L. Mr. Stead, G.M., and Mr. J. Jackson, P.M., spoke very highly of brother Macleod's untiring work, the last 16 years of which were spent in the Irma L.O.L.

IRMA BUSINESS PLACES WILL BE CLOSED XMAS DAY AND BOXING DAY

SILVER LANE NEWS

Mr. J. Kennedy of Jarro was an overnight visitor at the R. Bronson home on Monday.

Ray Anderson spent a few days of this week at the J. Bronson home.

Mrs. P. J. Harvey is in Hardyist under the doctor's care.

Mr. Dan Hall visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Harris of Loughheed for a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley took advantage of the warm weather to drive to Irma.

Miss Harriet Nash returned to her home in Irma on Saturday. She will visit at home for a week before going to Wainwright.

Miss Mildred Bronson returned to her home on Tuesday last.

A good time was reported by the crowd who attended the dance at Strawberry Plains.

The following pupils of Silver Lane school had perfect attendance for the month of November: Glen Hockett, Norma and Royle Bronson, Pearl, Ruby and Elvin Harvey, Irving, Robert, Douglas, James and Doris Bell.

INSTITUTE COLUMN

The Irma Branch of the Women's Institute held their annual meeting at the home of Mrs. Arnold on 5th December. A very successful year was reported. The election of officers was as follows:

President — Mrs. J. C. McLean.
1st Vice-Pres. — Mrs. J. Fletcher.
2nd Vice-Pres. — Mrs. A. Peterson.
Secretary — Mrs. C. Wilbraham.
Treasurer — Mrs. Rich. Larson.
Directors — Mrs. R. C. McFarland, Mrs. Martin, Mrs. Anderson.

A very hearty vote of thanks was extended to our retiring president, Mrs. Cole, for the work she had done for the Institute in the past four years.

We take this opportunity to thank all who helped to make our annual bazaar the success it was. The raffle prize winners were: 1st prize, comforter, Mrs. A.M. Bacon; 2nd, bedspread, Mr. Melvin Peterson; 3rd, cushion, Mrs. Kaprin Winkle.

— Mrs. C. Wilbraham, Sec'y.

NEWS ITEMS FROM JARROW

Mrs. O. R. Marbury was visiting relatives in Jarro for a few days. She left Monday for her home in Melville, Sask., accompanied by Elyone Marbury. Mrs. Marbury expects to take her little grand-daughter to Winnipeg to spend the Christmas holidays with Elyone's aunt.

Mrs. J. A. Waite has resigned as superintendent of the Sunday school and as president of the ladies' aid for a period of time on account of her health. Her doctor has ordered her to take a long rest. We are indeed sorry to lose one so valuable in church work as Mrs. Waite from our midst. We earnestly hope that she may be greatly benefited by her rest and that the time may soon come when she will be with us again. Mrs. Waite held the office of superintendent of the Jarro Sunday school for 18 years and has been president of the ladies' aid for the past two years, besides holding other offices of importance in connection with church work.

Mrs. Ernie Wade has returned home from the Viking hospital after having recovered from her recent operation.

Mr. and Mrs. George Matthews drove to Killam where they spent two weeks visiting with their daughter who lives there.

The school children are busy preparing for their Christmas program, which will be held in the Community hall on Christmas Eve, December 24.

The Community Club met at Boyd's store last week. After the usual routine of business, the election of officers for the ensuing year took place.

The officers are as follows: President — James Miller; Vice-Pres., Ward Matthews; Secretary-Treasurer — W. Boyd; Committee on arrangements — Ernie Wade, Miss Jean Matthew, Raymond Lison and Howard Morgan. A vote of thanks was extended to the retiring officers.

Mr. Joe Peterson, who last fall had the misfortune to break both of his legs, has been in the Viking hospital for over three months, and likely will have to remain there for a few months longer. Dr. Haworth is having difficulty in setting one leg as the bones do not easily knit.

Mr. and Mrs. P. McNabb motored to Edmonton last Saturday. They were accompanied by Mrs. A. Harper. Miss Eileen Meakin is at home with her parents for a holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moore were visitors at Viking last Saturday.

The annual meeting of the Jarro ladies' aid was held at the home of Mrs. W. Jamieson on Wednesday, 4th December, with a fairly good attendance. Quite a little business was transacted. The new officers elected for the coming year are as follows: President — Mrs. Geo. Matthews; Vice-Pres. — Mrs. A. Harper; Mrs. Griffith was re-elected as secretary-treasurer, who in her financial report gave the amount raised during the year, \$206.

Canada Wheat Board Totally Re-organized

Ottawa, Dec. 9. — The Canadian Wheat Board has been re-organized with James R. Murray, of Winnipeg, as chairman, George H. Melvor, of Winnipeg, vice-chairman, and Dean A. M. Shaw, of Saskatoon, as third member. It was announced by Hon. W. D. Euler, Minister of Trade and Commerce.

At the same time the minister announced the new board will initiate a policy of selling wheat "to have our surplus restored to a normal basis." But, he added, there will be no "fire sale" of wheat. It will be for sale at competitive values and will not be held at exorbitant premiums over other wheats.

The advisory wheat board of seven farmers, millers and grain men, established by the Bennett government, has been abolished. Mr. Euler announced. The Cabinet Wheat Committee, consisting of Mr. Euler, Hon. James Gardiner, Hon. Thomas Greer and Hon. C. A. Dunning, will continue in an advisory capacity.

Appointment of the new personnel was made following the receipt of resignations of J. I. McFarland, D. L. Smith and Mr. Grant, all of Winnipeg.

It is much quicker when frying doughnuts to cut dough in diamond shapes instead of using a doughnut cutter. They taste just as good when cut in this way.

United Church Notes

Services next Sunday, December 15 — Crescent Hill 8 p.m.; Irma 7.30 p.m. At the afternoon service a Christmas message will be given.

We are now in the midst of the usual activities preceding Christmas. Making and purchasing things for presents; rehearsing for entertainments; preparing a feast of good things for the festive board on Christmas day. We do these and other things to express our goodwill towards one another, and by sharing our blessings increase them. Remember the greatest gift of the greatest Giver, "For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son."

We "give" to celebrate the day of His human birth. Here we have the gift of Christian giving. It means self giving. It includes not only the gift but the spirit which prompts it. "God so loved—He gave." We often say "It's not the gift of itself, but the spirit in which it is given." "Rich gifts wax poor," says Shakespeare, if given prove unkind. The reverse is also true; Poor gifts become rich if given in a kindly spirit. This is just to say that Christian giving springs from experience. It is not a chance, haphazard, superficial act, but an expression of one's life.

Self giving means living not for self alone, but for others. Dean Inge has written "He who will live for himself shall have small troubles, but they will seem to him great. He who will live for others, shall have great troubles, but they will seem to him small." That is very true. If we gave ourselves away more, there would be much less left to worry about. What did Jesus mean when He said "Give and it shall be given unto you"? Surely not that we should expect material return for the gifts we make; but rather that we should express our Christian experience in self giving, and then the grace of giving will not only flow from us, but return to us in a deeper and richer experience. In the Christian sense there is no real separation between giving and receiving. They are two aspects of the same grace, blessing, like "the quality of mercy," "both he who gives and he who takes."

As we give and receive presents this Christmas season, why not make the supreme gift of ourselves to God and receive His greatest gift in return?

Soup

A Few Noodles by Tun

No Good
Teacher—"Next time you're late you must bring an excuse."

Tommy—"Who from?"

Teacher—"From your father."

Tommy—"Oh, he's no good at excuses. Mother finds him out every time."

Sure Proof.

Chemist—"Yes, sir, one bottle of this lotion will cure rheumatism."

Customer—"How do you know?"

Chemist—"Well, sir, my customers never come back for a second bottle."

Wedding Bells

LUKENS — RAMSAY

In the United church manse, Irma, on the afternoon of Friday, December 6th, Robert Marion, second son of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Lukens, was united in marriage to Marion Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ramsay. Rev. E. F. Kemp was the officiating minister.

The bride was attended by Miss Clara Ambler of Minburn, and Claude Ramsay, brother of the bride, supported the groom.

An Ideal Vacation

"Yes, sir, it was just about an ideal vacation," said an employee of an establishment in a neighboring town. "Nothing to do but loiter around all day in comfortable chairs. No mosquitoes, no insects of any kind. Pleasant, smiling people on all sides. No big bills running up, no relatives, no sunburn. Just peace and quiet all day long. A thorough rest for the mind and body—the kind of vacation you've always dreamed about. Yes, sir, it was ideal. We certainly enjoyed that vacation the boss took."

Back to Normal

"How did your wife like the wrist watch you gave her for her birthday?" "Delighted! She was awfully nice for a couple of days, but she's herself again now."

WANT ADS.

FOR TRADE—Shorthorn bull, Wallaceon 209421, red, born May 22, 1931. Also pure Wyandotte cockerels. — Jas. A. Bell, Box 172, Irma, Alberta. 13-20

WILL TRADE—10 ft. power cultivator and John Deere manure spreader for horses. — W. Groner, Jarro, Alta. 6-20p

FOR QUICK SALE—1929 Chevrolet light delivery truck, in good running order. \$110. — E. L. Wade, Box 610, Jarro, Alta. 6-13p

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ANGUS: "You bet I do, Henry. It all started with me driving that milk route at \$20 a month and board. I worked early and hard for what I got, but the turn came when the boss was willing to sell out. The Bank of Montreal knew I was thrifty from the way my savings account had grown steadily. They helped a lot by lending me some money—on good security, of course; it gave me a good start. I still worked mighty hard, but the profits made me forget I was so tired. We have a nice balance at the Bank now."

HENRY: "Yes, and you took me in as a partner and gradually we worked up to a fine herd of our own and later a modern dairy outfit. And don't forget what our wives and children did, Angus."

ANGUS: "No, indeed! Even the girls joined calf clubs and borrowed money from the Bank to buy the first fine stock. They did their bit in building up our present prize-winning herd."

Not only are the largest dairy concerns in Canada customers of the Bank of Montreal, but hundreds of independent dairy farmers as well. Large and small, they keep their business deposits and savings at the Bank and borrow at times for seasonal requirements. Many of them call on the Bank for other services, such as credit information, market conditions. Many of them have their bonds and other valuable papers with the Bank for safekeeping.

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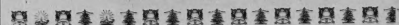
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Push Sale Of Canadian Wheat

Western Canadian farmer organizations are on the right track in taking steps to launch a well defined and co-ordinated program of publicity with the promotion of greater consumption of high grade wheat in customer countries as its objective.

Within a period of a couple of weeks two of the large farmer marketing organizations have given their blessing to such a move. These are the central organization of the Canadian wheat pools, whose plan to place an all-Canadian wheat loaf before the British consumer was endorsed at the annual meeting of the Saskatchewan Wheat Pool delegates and the United Grain Growers Ltd., who, at their annual meeting in Winnipeg sponsored a publicity program for Canadian wheat overseas.

Briefly, the U.G.G. Ltd. propose to interest boards of trade and other organizations throughout the prairie provinces to sponsor a request to the Federal government to set up a special sales promotion body to be known as the Canadian Wheat Institute with offices in consumer countries, the objective being to develop greater consumption of high quality wheat, which, of course, means wheat grown in Canadian fields.

The necessity for stimulating overseas consumers' interest is cited in the following quotation from the directors' report at the annual meeting of the Saskatchewan Wheat Pool: "In spite of the fact that Great Britain remains the best Canadian overseas customer for Canadian wheat, our wheat is invariably used only for blending with other wheats, particularly in the English mills. The British peoples generally are not familiar with the high quality of bread which can be baked from Canadian flour."

In support of the argument that a publicity campaign should be conducted in Great Britain, figures were quoted at the U.G.G. convention to the effect that while world consumption of wheat has dropped 31 per cent. in the past five years, Canadian wheat exports have been lowered by 49 per cent. in the same period.

While this may be true, it does not necessarily mean, however, that Canada is not holding her own in competition with other wheat exporting countries as total exports have dropped faster than total consumption due to the self-sustaining efforts of a number of the former customer countries in Europe. It does demonstrate, on the other hand, a material reduction of consumption of wheat, during the period under review.

Unfortunately, there is evidence that there is actually a reduction of consumption of wheat in Great Britain, Canada's best customer for high grade wheat. Representatives of the Scottish Co-operative Wholesale Society, while in Western Canada this summer, testified that while the Scotchman insists upon bread made of wheat of high protein content, as a result of which bread sold by the Co-operative's affiliates and subsidiaries contains 93 per cent. Canadian wheat, he is also eating less bread than formerly and, incredible though it may sound, is consuming less porridge. The Caledonian is substituting more expensive fruit, bacon and eggs and other costliness, for a percentage of his erstwhile substantial diet of bread and oatmeal.

There are indications that a similar situation exists in England, where the popular taste is for a lower grade loaf than the Scotchman demands, for within the past year the British millers have found it advisable to institute a five-year advertising program at considerable expense in an effort to persuade the population south of the Tweed and the Cheviots that they should eat more bread.

With many of the former markets virtually closed to Canadian wheat and the British market showing a tendency to shrink, due to changing dietetic tastes, or whatever the cause may be, the outlook is not reassuring to the Western Canadian farmer.

The farmer organizations are becoming alive to the need for taking some steps to deal with these conditions and it is to be hoped that some effective program can be devised with all interests working together to a common aim.

In some quarters it is suggested that this is an opportunity for the Canadian Wheat Board to take the initiative in co-operation with the Department of Trade and Commerce. It is pointed out that the Wheat Board, under the Canada Wheat Board Act, is vested with wide enough powers in section 8, sub-section B, which gives the board authority "to sell and dispose of, from time to time, all wheat which the board may acquire for such price as it may consider reasonable with the object of promoting the sale and use of Canadian wheat in the world markets."

Some recent experiments in the home market show that the public will respond to a loaf made more attractive by flavoring or other devices and it is possible that similar efforts to woo the British consumer would pay dividends. At any rate it is worth a trial.

Soil Survey

During the past summer the Manitoba Soil Survey under the direction of Professor J. H. Ellis of Manitoba University has made a reconnaissance soil survey of approximately 1,774,080 acres in the drought area of southwestern Manitoba.

Canada's Chief Loss

In the event of Italy retaliating by refusing to buy from Canada the chief loss would be in wheat, according to the exports for the last fiscal year when wheat to the value of \$1,096,624 was shipped to that country.

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"It may be a million years," a member of the department of astronomy, University of Toronto, said, referring to the statement of St. James Jeans, British scientist, that the moon will soon split into pieces and bathe the earth in perpetual moonlight.

Language Dying Out

Manxmen are ceasing to talk Manx in spite of the efforts of enthusiasts to keep the language alive. There was not a single aspirant this year for a prize for the best scholar in the Manx language offered at King William's College in the Isle of Man.

The Australian bushman eats his dog when it grows old and useless.

Terminates Annual Gifts

Rockefeller Believes Sectionalism in Church Is Wrong

Forsaking the traditional practice of his father, John D. Rockefeller, Jr., has terminated this annual monetary gifts to the Northern Baptist Church in the belief that inter-denominationalism is the best servitor of Christian religion.

In a searching letter to the Northern Baptist convention, written March 7 last, but revealed only recently, the son of the founder of one of the world's greatest fortunes informed the church that henceforth any future gifts would be only to specific agencies of the church.

"I have long felt," he wrote, "that this denominational emphasis is a divisive force in the progress of organized Christian work and an obstacle to the development of the spirit and life of Christ among men."

To hold young people, Rockefeller said, who are largely unconcerned with denominational distinctions, the church must work with them "in relegating the non-essentials to a place of secondary importance and stand with them for the fundamentals of Christian duty."

Rockefeller, the largest individual donor to the church, has in the past made annual donations ranging from \$250,000 to \$1,000,000 to the general budget of the Northern Baptist convention.

Made Noise Like 'Plane

Swarming Wasps Routed Pack Trains In B.C. This Year

Wasps were numerous throughout British Columbia this year. Hundreds of nests honeycombed the rocky ground of the Cariboo district and on Vancouver Island.

"You could stand still anywhere in the woods, listen quietly, and hear a humming like a flock of distant aeroplanes," a logger in the Courtney district of Vancouver Island reported.

He told of finding an area where a bear had demolished a dozen nests in the space of a quarter of a mile, feasting on the young wasps it found.

Many nests were situated on the Forbidden Plateau and pack trains were often attacked by the stingers. Horns rear and plumes as the swarms sail in to the attack. The stings remain with the horses only a few minutes, however, and they are soon quietened.

Unique Picture Gallery

Has Been Hobby Of Hotelkeeper For 35 Years

Trail, a little mining town in British Columbia, boasts a unique picture gallery. It is owned by Pete Levesque, a hotelkeeper, who, has made it his hobby for 35 years, and it covers every inch of wall space in his lobby.

The gallery includes a photograph of every prominent man or woman who has visited Trail since 1900, and many of the photographs are autographed. All carry a short biography of the subject in Mr. Levesque's spidery writing, each ending with the word "died," followed by a blank space to be filled in when the time comes. Some of the subjects have thought this meticulous attention to detail a trifle premature.

Making It Clear

Mose knocked the ashes from his conchoc pipe and put it on the mantelpiece. "Mandy," he said, "I think I've put on mah best co't an go down to the theatre tonight to see de chorus ladies dance."

Mandy turned a stony eye on him. "Mose," she grumbled, "listen here. If dat am what you thinks, den you'd better think ag'in. Niggah, you ain't gwine to put on nothin' to go no place, no time, to see nobody do nothin'; never, now, and not at all. Does yo' understand?"

The golfer had lost his ball, and, not unnaturally, was inclined to be annoyed with his caddy.

"Why didn't you watch where it was?" he asked.

"Well, sir," said the boy, "it don't usually go anywhere, and so it took me unprepared like."

In addition to ancient eggs and birds' nest soup, the Chinese are particularly fond of dogs' flesh marmalade made from roses, preserved oysters, ducks' gizzards, and canned earthworms.

Fish can be kept fresh for three months by means of a new process of brine freezing perfected in England.

In case you are interested, the salary of a member of parliament is \$3,600.

Some people are noted for their ability to recollect things that never happened.



If You Eat Starches Meats, Sweets Read This

They're All Necessary Foods — But All Acid-Forming. Hence Most of Us Have "Acid Stomach" At Times. Easy Now to Relieve.

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English Language Changes

Words Drop Out And Come Into Use Again

A sign of the way in which the English language changes is seen in the use of the word "tremblor," when describing earthquakes. In the last few days it has frequently appeared in news dispatches, but we were unable to find it in the Shorter Oxford English dictionary or in the Century, though we thought it would surely be in the last.

We could find "tremblor," that is, one who trembles, and "tremor," that is, an agitation of the limbs, or of the earth, but no "tremblor." The Century dictionary quoted J. Milne's use of the word "tremor" as follows: "Modern research has shown a typical earthquake to consist of a series of small tremors succeeded by a shock or series of shocks."

The word was not in the body of the text of Webster's New International dictionary, either, but it was included in the footnotes, and this was what we read: "tremblor—erroneous for tremor." And what is "tremor"? It is Spanish for earthquake, says Webster. From an old dictionary, the Standard, published in the nineties, we got a little more information. It contained "trembles"—the word there has an extra "e"—which were defined as "tremors of the earth's surface in volcanic districts."

The word is Spanish, from "temblar"—without the "r"—meaning tremble. It was derived from South America. Apparently it was in common use in America, in its erroneous form, at the end of the last century, then dropped out of current speech, and has now made its reappearance, just like a dandelion in a lawn.—Hamilton Spectator.

Java Has No Poor

Native Diet Is Frugal And Everyone Has Enough

Speaking of the world tour of Lord Baden-Powell and herself which recently concluded with their visit to Canada, Lady Baden-Powell mentioned their stay in Java, and added: "I might say there isn't a poor person in all of Java. Of course the native diet is frugal—a handful of rice and a couple of bananas is sufficient each day. But we could learn a lot from the attitude of these Eastern people. Their kindness, their friendly spirit and their goodness shine from their eyes."

More Statistics

"When one gets a piece of dust in his eye he should remember that the earth weighs 5,885,516,000,000,000,000 tons," says The St. Thomas Times-Journal, and the London Advertiser remarks it might also help to recall that there are roughly 2,000,000,000 people in the world ready and willing to pluck notes out of other folks' eyes.

The moon sometimes comes 30,000 miles closer to the earth than at other times. It does not travel in a perfect circle around the earth.

Arithmomania is a strange malady. The sufferer is obsessed with uncontrollable desire to count things.

Tung oil has been important in China over 5,000 years.

Poultry Congress In Leipzig

Exhibit Building In Berlin Was Destroyed By Fire

Owing to a serious conflagration in the city of Berlin, Germany, the large building in which the live bird exhibit of the Sixth World's Poultry Congress was to have been held in 1936 was destroyed by fire. As there was no other hall in Berlin large enough for the purpose, the Congress authorities decided to hold the Congress in Leipzig. According to official information, this arrangement will give better accommodation than was possible in Berlin, while at the same time the delegates will have every opportunity of seeing the sights in and around Berlin itself on the occasion of a pre-arranged visit. Provision is also being made for the delegates to visit the Olympic Games, which will be held on the outskirts of Berlin. A Canadian tour is being arranged, and already there have been some definite bookings and a large number of applications for information.

Propane Gas Has Many Uses

Can Cool A Refrigerator Or Run A Motor

One of the products of oil and gas wells is a condensable gas, propane. Under compression it is a liquid, but if released to atmospheric pressure it becomes a gas. When it changes from a liquid to a gas it has properties similar to dry ice, solid carbon dioxide. It has frequently been suggested that propane could be used for a dual purpose, both completely opposite effects. It could first be evaporated from the liquid state through coils of pipe to cool a refrigerator and the vapor could then be run to a gas stove, where it could be burned as fuel. A parallel application applied to motor trucks transporting perishable foods is described in "Food Industries." The propane is first used for refrigerating the body of the truck and is then used as fuel for the motor instead of gasoline.

Told Astonishing Story

Fishermen On Caspian Sea Marooned For Five Days

Thousands of Caspian fishermen told an astonishing story of having been marooned on the bottom of the sea for five days, dispatches to Moscow stated.

Their report was that at the busiest period of the fishing season the sea itself retired from under the fleet.

It receded along 150 miles of the northern shore line of the Caspian Sea, leaving the ships high and dry several kilometres from solid earth.

Airplanes dropped food to the marooned men until the tide flowed back and allowed them to refloat their ships.

Increase In Dairy Herds

A survey of farms on the Lettbridge Northern irrigation area shows an increase in dairy herds and a steady level in prices for cream. There are altogether 3,500 cows of which about 2,400 are Holsteins in the district, but with 100,000 acres available these numbers are capable of considerable increase.

Took Name From Islands

The Canary Islands were called "Canaria" by Pliny, because of the multitude of dogs of great size found there. The domesticated canary took its name from the island, and not the islands from the bird.

The large, white, funnel-shaped "blossoms" of the calla lily are not the true flowers at all, but outer leaves. The real flowers are tiny, inconspicuous things, crowded together on the club-like spadix in the centre.

It has been estimated that twice as many boys as girls figure as victims of road accidents, while eight times as many boys as girls are drowned.

The poisonous toadstool and the edible mushroom are of the same family.

Don't forget that you are a part of all of the people who can be fooled some of the time.



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South Africa's new post office which is now under construction is to have stained glass windows in the form of enlarged replicas of the Union's halfpenny, penny, twopenny and fourpenny postage stamps. Interwoven with the stamp designs are representations of a streamlined train, aeroplane, a motor ship, and a radio station emitting sparks. A pair of symbolic poles help to balance the design which are supported by medallions, sketches of mail coaches and other old methods of postal transport.—L. A. Barnes.

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In the last two years nearly 4,000 foreign girls have gone to England to become domestic servants, most of them being well educated and of good family, but adopted this means of improving their knowledge of English.

Asia, with its 16,700,000 square miles, is the most populated continent. It has more than 954,000,000 inhabitants, or over half the population of the world.

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CHAPTER XXIV.—Continued

The girl spoke softly, her dimple showing for a moment; but to her surprise Jack answered in all seriousness: "After what you did during the blizzard? You know better, sis. But Matt's different from some boys, and I wouldn't like to think you'd hurt him."

Said Nancy, endeavoring to make her voice sound light: "You talk like Aunt Judy! She imagines that

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"Well," observed Jack, "most any one would think that Matt had; but I never saw him act so happy and keyed up as he did this evening—and last night too. Say! will you ever forget how excited Mr. Adam was over your finding that crucifix? I think they're the finest family I ever knew. Nance. So enthusiastic, all of 'em. Do you suppose Dadn' Mother'll let me come back next winter? With Mark in California studying forestry they'll be short of help here at the ranch; and gee! I'd like it more'n anything!"

"I'll say a good word for you," promised his sister; and then: "Get back to bed, Jack. We must be up in good season, and it's long past midnight."

Despite her wakefulness, Nancy was up early next morning, though not so early as Matthew Adam, who had, according to Aurora, delivered milk at the Tubbs about before she was out of bed.

"He spoke through the window," she related, "and almost frightened Victor into a collapse. He said I was to tell Jack to be ready to ride down on the truck along with the trunks, and Mark and Luke and John (young John, I mean) and Mary Taylor and Juanita. I told him it would look like a straw ride, but he said, 'Who cares?' I'll have to admit that for a fellow who's sweet on a girl that's going two thousand miles away where he'll likely never lay eyes on her again, Matthew Adam looked pretty well res'g'd. And not more'n three days ago he resembled a man just comin' from the cemetery after buryin' his last relation. He's to drive the Ford with his father and mother and Miss Columbine and you, Nancy. I declare, if I wasn't quite so fleshy I'd squeeze in between on the front seat and go too."

"Why not go down on the truck?" suggested Miss Columbine, emerging from her bedroom.

"Among all these trunks and young folks and milk cans?" retorted the good woman. "No thank you, Miss Columbine, I have my pride, and there's house cleanin' to do even if you are going home with Eve Adam for over Sunday. I must say it was real considerate of Eve to ask you, for this house I seem to get used to it. Well" (she sighed mournfully), "the last breakfast is ready, and you'd better eat if you've any appetites, which I haven't myself. A cup of coffee and four doughnuts was all I could get down this mornin'. I've got the liberty of invitin' Victor Tubbs to dinner, Miss Columbine. I need food, and goodness knows I couldn't eat a bite if I was to be here alone."

"The truck was gone at last, leaving Aurora flustered and rosy at Jack's farewell kiss."

"It's just as well," she said, waving her apron as a last salute, "that Victor wasn't here to see. He's still jealous. Nancy, after more than 20 years of married life; and though Jack didn't mean nothin' in the world by kissin' me good-bye, Victor Tubbs might have misunderstood."

"Which proves that there's no fool like an old fool," declared Miss Columbine tartly. "Here come the Ford, Aurora. I'd rather have Mark Adam drive us down the pass, but no doubt Matt will be careful with his load of old folks. Where are you going, Nancy? I thought everything had been brought down."

I must have one last look at the view from my tower," the girl responded, laughing; but once in the familiar room she tip-toed to a carefully closed closet and drew forth something she had hidden.

"Will you send Matt up to get my suitcase, Aurora?" she called with charming innocence from the head of the steep stairs. "Those stupid boys have overlooked it!"

The last ride down the historic pass was over. The station came into view, with an impatient "delegation," as Jack called it, on the platform. All too soon a gigantic engine roared past the waiting crowd, and slowly stopped, white, dazed and breathless, Nance found herself mounting steps into the Pullman, a dusky porter armed with luggage leading her on, and Jack behind, stopping to call something to somebody.

"Section eight. This way, lady."

From her window Nance looked out upon a sort of composite picture of that friendly gathering. Then, as the wheels turned, she caught the glimpse her eyes were seeking: Cousin Columbine in her scarlet middie, with Matt close by, bareheaded as she had seen him first—his hand slipped through the old lady's arm protectively.

Dear Matt! She'd forgotten to tell him to look out for Cousin Columbine, but he knew. Something tightened in Nance's throat. The landscape blurred. Then Jack was saying:

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the Adam family? I donno but I did! I'm sure I kissed Juanita Tubbs—by mistake, of course. And I believe I must have kissed Cousin Columbine three times! Isn't she the dandiest old sport, Nance? Kept a stiff upper lip right to the last minute, but I miss my guess if she don't want to bawl. Made me feel had just to look at her. But some one will understand and cheer her up, sis. Of course somebody will!"

Jack was right. As the wheels moved faster and Miss Columbine's steady lip began to tremble, a firm young hand drew her away, back from the crowd that still stared, stupidly, it seemed, at the departing train.

"Listen," said Matthew. "Li-listen, Miss Columbine. It's not quite so awful as it seems, having her go. I promised not to tell even Mother till—till Nancy got home and could tell her; but she left a note for you in—in case you seemed too lonely; and anyway, I'll probably explode if I don't tell some one, so—so you see..."

This was the old, shy Matthew, hesitating as if there were no words with which to say this thing; but as she glanced up, puzzled, Columbine Nelson surprised a light upon his face that startled her.

"What are you trying to tell me, Matthew Adam?" she demanded brusquely. "Stop stammering over your words like that. I'm not a stranger. Don't keep me on tenter hooks a minute longer or I'll do the exploding. What are you trying to say?"

And at the reappearance of her face, Matt laughed, while in the face and eyes of an astonished baggage-man, he caught the oddly-attired lady in a bear-like hug.

"Only that Nance is coming back," he told her joyously. "And—another time, Miss Columbine, she'll come to stay!"

A NEW SERIAL STORY

Arrangements have been completed for presenting to our readers a new serial entitled "Fleming's Folly," by that well-known writer, Lawrence A. Keating. This is an absorbing and exciting story of the western plains, and those who follow the installments as they appear each week, will be thrilled by the intensive situations. This story will be commenced in an early issue. Be sure that you do not miss the opening chapters.

IN NEXT ISSUE

Two barrels of Canadian apples were sold for \$2,093 at an auction sale in Cardiff. The proceeds went to charity, so that Canada has the credit of making a nice contribution.

Young men think old men are fools, but old men know young men are fools.

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Swedish Economy Program

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The Swedish State Railways Administration Board has requested 15,000,000 kronor (about \$3,750,000) from the government for the next fiscal year, of which some 10,000,000 kronor (about \$2,500,000) will be used to expand its electrified railroad system. Construction will cover mainly additions to trunk lines and electrification of minor roads and spurs. All main lines on which such traffic is economically feasible already have been changed from steam.

At the beginning of 1935 electrified government lines totalled 1,331 miles. The expansion program calls for further electrification of 679 miles, of which 220 miles will be completed during 1935. The main reasons for this program have been economy in cost of operation, present cheapness of money and material, relief of unemployment and a greater independence from imported coal.

Electrification of Sweden's principal railroad line, 383 miles from Stockholm to Malmo, in the south, was completed October 1, 1935. Work on the 285-mile line from Stockholm to Gothenburg, on the west coast, was started in 1923 and completed in 1926 at a cost of 44,600,000 kronor.

Part of the line that runs north from Stockholm toward Lapland has been electrified. The new power will be installed only as far as Ange, where the north and south line strikes an east and west line that crosses the Scandinavian peninsula from Sundsvall, in Sweden, to Trondheim, in Norway. After that will come completion of the west coast line from Malmo to Gothenburg, and this work may later be extended as far as Oslo, the capital of Norway.

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Substitutes For Food

People In Hungary Are Buying Foxes And Crows

At the market at Keesemet (Hungary) crows are on sale, where they are fetching as much as three cents each. They are bought by the poor who make them into a form of "chicken broth." Foxes are also being sold by the farmers at a shilling a head. Never since the war have the inhabitants of this wealthy district been forced by hard times to resort to such substitutes for food.

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Phenomenal Doll Sales

Publicity Was Large Factor In The Success Of These Toys

Dolls have been the outstanding best sellers in the toy sections of departmental stores in the United States this year, according to national survey reports of toy world. Shirley Temple dolls, Dionne quintuplets and fairy princess dolls, the latter prompted by Colleen Moore's fairy doll house now touring the country, have won first place in over-the-counter sales.

Needless to say, the newspaper, movie and magazine publicity has been a big factor in the success of these toys. As a result of this year's phenomenal doll sales, the stores also report a fine demand for doll clothes and accessories.

Velocipedes and bicycles held a firm place during the summer months and are expected to maintain a strong position with Santa Claus this Christmas.

The four best selling games of the past month, according to the survey, were "Monopoly," "Pinnace," "Expanded Parcheesi" and "Badminton," all made by different manufacturers.

Old Chief Enters Movies

Aged Indian Dresses In Ceremonial Costume And Dances Sun Dance

Chief David, 109-year-old Saanich Indian of Vancouver Island, danced his way into the movies recently. When cameramen making a picture there inquired for someone who could interpret the ancient sun dance of the tribe, this grizzled old chief put on his ceremonial headdress and grunted his readiness to begin.

He went through the difficult movements of the dance without faltering. Then he told about his boyhood—how he had watched his tribesmen attack old Fort Victoria back in 1843.

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Main Street

Don't forget the penalty on school taxes will be added to all unpaid taxes on December 16th.

The Irma public school will put on a Christmas concert in Kiefer's hall on the evening of December 23rd.

Mr. J. Christenson left for Edmonton and points west on Tuesday where he expects to spend the winter.

Mr. A. Wadden, C.N.R. agent here, is away for a holiday just now. Mr. Morrison is relieving at the depot.

Take notice that all stores and other places of business in Irma will be closed on Christmas Day and the day following.

A large crowd attended the dance in Albert school on Friday, December 6th, in honor of the bride and groom, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lukens.

Cars have been travelling between Irma and Hardisty for over a week now. While the road is not all that can be desired, cars are getting thru and making the trip in about an hour.

Among the visitors to Edmonton last week we heard of the following: Mr. and Mrs. Masson, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Carbol, Misses Elizabeth Higginson and Brenda Kitcher, and Mr. F. Lukens.

The Irma school board held a regular meeting last Tuesday evening and made arrangements for the school concert. An auditor for this year was also appointed and the date set for the annual ratepayers' meeting.

Mr. E. Shaky arrived home from Edmonton last Tuesday evening. The mine where Ed was working is shut down at present on account of some of the buildings being destroyed by fire.

This will mean one more defense man for the Irma hockey team. Mr. Jack Blackley of Courtney, Vancouver Island, stopped off at Irma on Sunday evening to visit his brother Arthur, on his way to Ontario for a holiday.

Mr. Blackley farmed north of Irma at one time, leaving here about twelve years ago for the coast.

On the recommendation of W. Masson, M.L.A., Mr. E. W. Carter has been appointed issuer of marriage licenses at Irma. The change is made because no one can hold any other government position during his term of office as member of the legislative assembly.

The Irma senior hockey team motored to Hughenden last Tuesday evening where they crossed sticks with the boys of that town for the first time this winter. The score of 14-5 in favor of Irma was charged up to the Hughenden goalie of the first period, who allowed nine shots to get past him.

The annual meeting of the Irma W.M.S. will be held next Thursday, December 19th, in the afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Reek. Mrs. C. McKay will give the second chapter of the study book, "The New Africa." Those who heard the first chapter were more than interested. The study coming from the centre of the war and unrest of the present day. All members and friends are cordially invited to attend.

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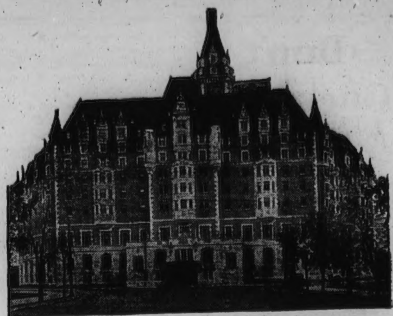
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—Gertrude Watkinson.

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The Bessborough Hotel at Saskatoon, newest link in the chain of the Canadian National Railways hotel system, will open on December 10th, it was officially announced by Hon. C. P. Fullerton, K.C., Chairman of the Board of Trustees.

SPORTS

On Saturday, rugby history was made by Winnipeg winning from Hamilton the championship of all Canada. For 12 years the West has tried for this honor, and twelve times the prairie boys have returned empty handed. By the manner in which this Hamilton team defeated the Queen's university outfit, most people favored them to win from Winnipeg. Much of the credit is given to little Fritz Hanson, weighing but 145 pounds. Fritz could run. And when they got in his way to stop him, he just ran round them. The Peg boys had plenty of power to back up Hanson, but it was his twinkling toes that proved the deciding factor in this rugby classic.

Clem Loughlin has reason to be proud of the boys under him. The Black Hawks have been going like a house afire. Of course they meet with enough defeats to keep them from over-confidence, the Toronto bunch slipping one over on Saturday evening. Clem now holds first place in the American division, with a margin of four points over Detroit, the second place team.

The Ash trophy, so well remembered in Viking, still presents attraction for Camrose curlers. The Royal rink in Edmonton holds the big silver mug, and the Camrose rock-throwers journeyed to the Royal on Saturday last, with the intent and purpose of lifting it. The Royal caretaker will still have to dust the mug. How about Viking making a try for this again? Maybe the trophy would come home cheerfully like a lost kitten.

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